

PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Robert Wilhelmi

Phone: (779) 348-7425

Neighborhood Standards Supervisor

November 20, 2017

E-mail: robert.wilhelmi@rockfordil.gov

Garbage Collection Schedule Delayed Due to Thanksgiving Day Holiday

ROCKFORD, IL – The garbage collection for City of Rockford residents on Thursday, November 23, 2017, will be delayed one (1) day due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Residents that normally have garbage pick-up on Thursday will have it picked up on Friday. Yard waste will continue to be accepted during the week of Thanksgiving with the final anticipated collection date occurring on December 7, 2017.

The Household Hazardous Waste site at 3333 Kishwaukee Street will be open its normal hours the weekend of Saturday, November 25, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 26, 2017 from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please note that the Household Hazardous Waste site is no longer accepting latex paint due to its non-hazardous nature. Oil based paints and paint related solvents and thinners will continue to be accepted.

Keep Northern Illinois Beautiful's Rockford Recycling Center, located at 4665 Hydraulic Road in Rockford will be closed on Saturday, November 25, 2017. Normal operating hours will resume the following week on Tuesday, November 28, 2017 from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Saturday, December 2, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for electronic waste and other household recycling drop offs. A limit of (2) televisions or computer monitors per vehicle can be dropped off by Rockford residents.